

Article C *ter*-04: International Standards

In determining whether an international standard, guide, or recommendation exists within the meaning of Articles 2 or 5 or Annex 3 of the TBT Agreement, each Party shall consider the principles set out in the Decisions and Recommendations adopted by the WTO Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade since 1 January 1995 (G/TBT/1/Rev.12, January 21, 2015), or a successor document issued by the WTO Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade.

Article C *ter*-05: Technical Regulations

1. If a Party does not accept a technical regulation of the other Party as equivalent to its own, it shall provide the reason for its decision to the other Party at that Party's request.
2. If a Party detains at a port of entry a good that is imported from the territory of the other Party on the basis that the good may not comply with a technical regulation, it shall notify, without undue delay, the importer of the reasons for the detention of the good.

Article C *ter*-06: Conformity Assessment

1. The Parties recognize that there is a broad range of mechanisms to facilitate the acceptance in the Party's territory of the results of conformity assessment procedures that are conducted in the other Party's territory. These mechanisms may include:
 - (a) the reliance by the importing Party on a supplier's declaration of conformity;
 - (b) voluntary arrangements between conformity assessment bodies to accept the results of each other's assessment procedures when the bodies are located in the territory of the other Party;
 - (c) accreditation procedures for qualifying conformity assessment bodies that are located in the territory of the other Party;
 - (d) designation of conformity assessment bodies that are located in the territory of the other Party; and
 - (e) recognition of the results of conformity assessment procedures that are conducted in the territory of the other Party.